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Application No.: 10/645,738

Examiner: K.L. Ellis

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Group Art Unit: 2188

Title: **PROCESSOR AND PROCESSOR METHOD OF OPERATION**

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- ☐ Petition to extend time to respond
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INDEP. CLAIMS	3	MINUS	3	= 0	X \$200	\$ 0
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RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

MS Amendment
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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated October 20, 2005 (hereinafter the "Current Action"), please consider the following remarks:

No amendments to the claims have been made. However, for the Examiner's convenience, a listing of the claims begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.